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## FRANKFURTER NOMINATED

President Proposes Name  
Of Harvard Professor  
For Supreme Court

WASHINGTON, (UP)—President Roosevelt today nominated Prof. Felix Frankfurter of Harvard University to the U. S. Supreme Court.

Nomination of the 56 year old Jewish scholar of the Harvard law school was for a vacancy which has existed on the high court since the death of Justice Benjamin N. Cardozo last July 9.

Proposals that Frankfurter be named to succeed the brilliant Jewish justice, Cardozo, had been voiced in many quarters.

Frankfurter is the third jurist to be appointed to the high bench by Mr. Roosevelt. His other appointees were Justices Hugo L. Black, and Stanley F. Reed.

Announcement of the selection of Frankfurter was made through the White House secretary, Stephen T. Early, who gave a one paragraph typewritten statement to newspaper reporters gathered in the White House press room.

Frankfurter, an old friend of the President, has been his adviser off and on since the 1932 campaign. He frequently visited the White House and for the past several years his name has persistently cropped up as a likely nominee for the bench.

Today's announcement nevertheless occasioned considerable surprise inasmuch as the President only last Tuesday said that no decision on the court appointment had been reached. Moreover, he had indicated at that time that only routine recess appointments would go up to the senate today.

## Visitors Win 2 Of Series

San Juan Hoopsters Take  
Big End Of Match Wednesday  
Night On Cougar Court

San Juan high school hoopsters took two games of an A. B. C. team series with the Cougars Wednesday night at the high school gymnasium when the El Dorado A and B fives fell while the C team stayed on top, 18 to 7.

Score in the B game was 19 to 13 and in the A game 20 to 19, and it was that close.

Friday the Cougars go to Folsom for another three-game series in the pre-season contests scheduled by Coach L. A. Brown.

The "babes" opened the program for the evening with the Cougars leading 5 to 3 at the end of the first period and 12 to 3 at the half. The Cougars added six points in the third while San Juan took four and the fourth period was scoreless. Jack Emmerson hooked eight points for the Cougars and Capt. Westphal amused the fans by scoring once in the San Juan basket in the confusion of the combat.

The Bee team game was marked by numerous fouls, probably due to over-anxiety on the part of both teams, and Grenhauf, of San Juan, was high with eight points. Boggs led the Cougar tossers with five.

The Cougars got one to nothing in the first period but were trailing 8 to 7 at the half and 16 to 11 at the end of the third period. The Cougars took two and the visitors three in the last quarter.

Cadina and Pierce took six points apiece for San Juan in the A game, and that just about tells the story. They were too much for Jim Schroth, who scored twelve of the 19 Cougar points to become individual high point man of the night.

San Juan was out in front 7 to 0 at the first quarter and the Cougars trailed 11 to 8 at the half but were out in front, 14 to 12 at the end of the third period and came up short in the final round as the visitors took eight points to their five.

## Teacher Association Meets January 12

The regular January meeting of the County Teachers' Association will be held Thursday evening, January 12, at 8:30 o'clock at the parlors of the Federated Church.

The usual program, a dinner followed by a discussion of school subjects of mutual interest are planned.

## The New Commerce Chief



Pictured in the President's study in the White House, Harry L. Hopkins, former WPA administrator, is shown as he took oath of office as secretary of commerce, succeeding Daniel C. Roper, resigned. Associate Justice Stanley Reed, of the United States Supreme Court, administered the oath.

## ROOSEVELT ASKS 422 MILLIONS IN NEW TAX REVENUES

President Would Continue Three-Cent Postage,  
Make CCC Permanent And Is Reported As Being  
In Favor Of An Inheritance Tax Type Of Levy

WASHINGTON, (UP)—President Roosevelt bolstered his defiance of dictators today with a message to congress proposing a \$9,000,000,000 budget for 1940 to arm for defense and spend for recovery.

A congressional economy bloc is actively hostile. But he rejected economy pleas of conservative new dealers to cut government costs. He asked \$422,000,000 in new taxes. He proposed a \$2,000,000,000 military and semi-military defense program.

This annual budget message sharply reminded congress that Mr. Roosevelt had not "been throwing the taxpayers' money out the window."

He projected for next year the 10th successive year of federal deficit—\$3,326,000,000 this time—and the second highest spending program in new deal history. The current year is tops at \$9,492,000,000.

The 10 year depression-recovery-depression cycle, beginning in the Hoover administration and projected through the next fiscal year, makes this kind of a record:

Total receipts, \$41,033,000,000.  
Total expenditures, \$68,312,000,000.  
Aggregate net deficit, \$27,279,000,000.  
National debt increase, \$28,273,000,000.

Mr. Roosevelt said "Well spent." The budget message pointed that national debt close to \$44,500,000,000 as of June 30, 1940, which is but \$500,000,000 short of the legal federal debt limit. It will be necessary at this session to ask congress to increase that limit.

Mr. Roosevelt called for enactment of \$1,000,000,000 in taxes of which \$422,000,000 would be new revenue to pay farm subsidies and emergency national defense costs, and \$500,000,000 to \$600,000,000 a continuation of expiring manufacturer's excise taxes.

Mr. Roosevelt did not stipulate new revenue sources but is understood to favor the inheritance or estate-tax type of levy to a processing tax or other impost which would reduce consuming power.

His other recommendations were:

1. Continue three cent letter postage.  
2. Make the Civilian Conservation Corps permanent and appropriate \$285,000,000 for it in the next fiscal year.

## REPAIRS UNDERTAKEN AS RECOMMENDED BY GRAND JURY

The repairs to the school superintendent's office and the surveyor's office at the courthouse, as recommended in the recent Grand Jury report, have been undertaken by the Board of Supervisors who appointed Don M. Hoffman, county surveyor, as county engineer to direct the work.

Incident thereto, School Superintendent Kenneth McCoy is moving temporarily to the adjoining school board room, and Surveyor Hoffman's headquarters will be "on the job."

Other matters appearing in the minutes of the board for the January session include the list of 250 named as potential county grand jurors; approval by the board of the east approach to the Coloma bridge, and its acceptance; and reappointment of Dr. A. A. McKinnon as county hospital superintendent.

Miss Edythe Purcell has returned to teaching duties at Gooding, Ida., following a holiday visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Purcell.

## MASONS WILL SEAT HEADS

El Dorado Lodge No. 26, Of  
Placerville, Schedules  
Dinner And Installation

The officers recently elected and appointed for El Dorado Lodge No. 26, F. & A. M., of Placerville, for the ensuing year, will be installed at a meeting of the lodge this (Thursday) evening.

The lodge will meet following a dinner at 6:30 o'clock at the Masonic temple to which members have been informed they may invite their wife or lady friend to attend.

The installation will be conducted by W. F. Truscott, past master of Hiram Lodge, No. 43, F. & A. M., of El Dorado, assisted by Claire Nelson as master of ceremonies.

Officers to be installed are: Harry L. Jaspas, Worshipful Master; John P. Simpson, senior warden; Fredrick Dorman, junior warden; Don Goodrich, treasurer; T. F. Lewis, secretary.

Ellsworth A. Willard, senior deacon; Victor Leonard, junior deacon; Bert Pierroz, senior Steward; William Ashmun, junior steward; Chas. Fehrmann, marshal; Harold Duden, chaplain; A. S. Fox, organist; and L. A. Reeg, tyler.

## Soils Tour On January 13

Farmers Interested Are  
Welcome To Join In  
Demonstration Trip

The projected itinerary for a soils study tour in the county which will be conducted jointly by the Agricultural Extension Service and the Soil Conservation Service on Friday, January 13, was announced during the week at the Farm Advisor's office.

Anyone interested in soil conservation and related subjects is welcome to join the tour which will start at 9 o'clock in the morning at the Odlin ranch on the Coloma road, about six miles from Placerville.

The tour schedule is as follows:

9:00-9:45—Odlin: Ladino cover crop and sheeping off of same.  
9:45-10:30—Veerkamp: Run-off plots and pasture fertilizer plots.  
10:30-11:00—Patterson: New permanent cover crop; annual ditches; straw mulch.

11:00-11:20—Aly Thiele: Strips; vetch drilled in native cover.  
11:20-12:15—Roy Marks: Pasturing native vegetation in orchard.  
12:20-1:10—Lunch.

1:15-2:00—Onetti: Irrigation system; flooding permanent cover crop.  
2:00-2:20—Earl Fruit: Basin listing.

2:20-2:45—Gatlin: Forest management.

2:45-3:15—Irving: Sprinkling system and grassed ditch.

3:15-3:30—Spencer: Agronomy plots.

3:30-4:00—Volz: Electric fence; pasturing permanent cover; overnight storage of irrigation water.

4:00-4:15—Fossatti: Annual grade ditches emptying into permanent cover crop.

## Mother Of Placerville Woman Succumbs

Mrs. Nona Guthrie Allen, 66, passed away on Sunday at her home at Mt. Vernon, Illinois. This is according to word received that day by her daughter and only surviving child, Mrs. Ruby R. Allen, of this city.

Mrs. Allen was a native of near Mt. Vernon and had lived virtually all her life there until about a year and a half ago when she and her husband came to Placerville to visit their daughter and family.

They returned to Illinois shortly before Thanksgiving. In addition to her daughter, she is survived by a brother, two sisters and her husband.

## Choral Section Meets Next On Jan. 17th

We have been asked to announce that the meeting of the Shakespear Club choral section, scheduled for this coming Tuesday, has been postponed for one week, and the section will hold its next meeting on Tuesday, January 17, at ten-thirty o'clock in the morning, at the clubhouse.

Mrs. Edwin F. Smith and daughter, Barbara, were Sacramento visitors on Thursday.

## LEGION STAGES COUNTY FAIR

Post Accepts Request  
Of County Board At  
Meeting On Wednesday

El Dorado Post No. 119, American Legion, at their first regular meeting of the year, at the Veterans' Memorial Hall, Wednesday night, got under way for 1939 activities by the appointing of two special committees and hearing a report of the Fair Committee, and other standing committees on past duties.

The Fair Committee, headed by George E. Faugstad, announced that the Board of Supervisors has asked the American Legion to undertake the duties of carrying out another County Fair this year.

Sid Price, chairman of the Veterans' Christmas Tree Party reported on the success of the affair and the committee was complimented upon their excellent work.

Two special committees were appointed by Commander A. N. Weber, one on planning the annual Civic Affairs Dinner and Party, when Legionnaires are host to the businessmen of Placerville and prominent men of the county; the other on Soap Box Derby arrangements.

Committeemen for the former are Dr. Lester B. Rantz, chairman, H. E. Hunsaker, Sid Price and Glen D. Stevens. They are to hold a meeting next Wednesday night to formulate plans and set a date, which it has been indicated will be sometime in February.

Soap Box Derby committeemen are: Paul Smith, chairman, Lloyd Cannon, Paul Taylor and Al Prince. It was indicated that they are to meet soon, and begin with arrangements for another successful Soap Box Derby for the boys of El Dorado county.

## Orelli Family Has Reunion

Three Brothers, Two Sisters  
Together Sunday And Monday  
At Tournament Of Roses

The Orelli family held a reunion at Long Beach on Sunday and Monday when three brothers, their wives and their children and two sisters spent the New Year holiday together and included the Tournament of Roses at Pasadena in their round of festivities.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Orelli, of Placerville, were fortunate in having seats for the Rose Bowl football game, in addition to seeing the Rose Tournament parade.

Placerville was represented in the reunion by Coroner and Mrs. A. J. Orelli, and son, Chris, who with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Orelli left early Saturday morning for Long Beach.

The coroner suggested that this was a special occasion and so the party concluded they "might as well see all the sites" and started off by driving to San Francisco across the new bay bridge and thence down the coast to Long Beach, completing the journey about ten-thirty o'clock in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Orelli, of Roseville, were also in Long Beach and there all looked up Mr. and Mrs. Abe Orelli, Miss Rose Orelli, Miss Mary Orelli and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Orelli to complete the reunion party.

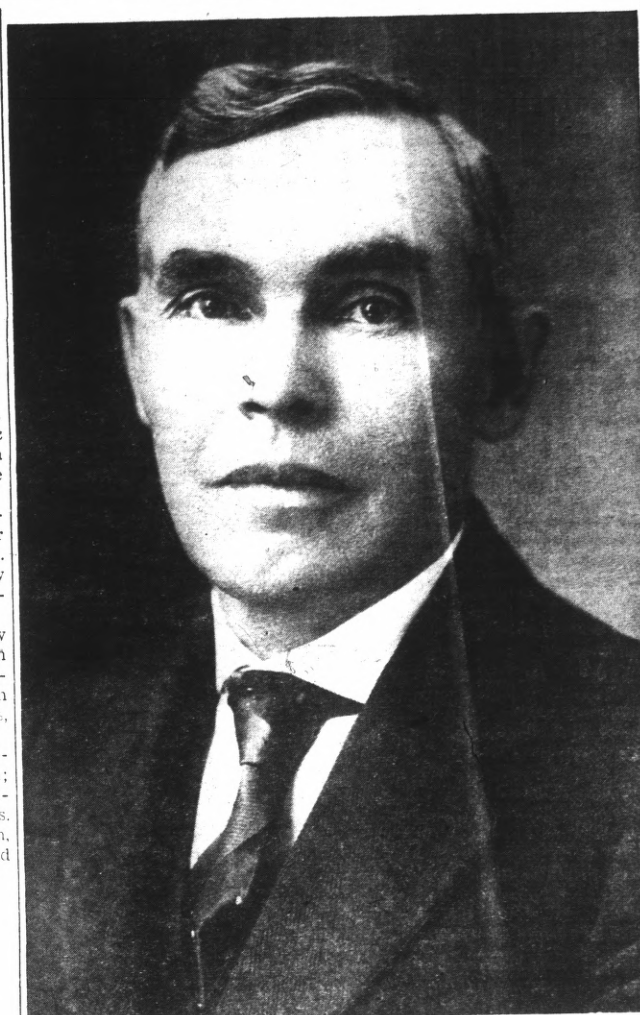
There was a reunion dinner Sunday and on Monday the rose parade was followed by another reunion dinner, and the Placerville parties returned home during Tuesday night, arriving early Wednesday morning to conclude a visit and a trip which they will long remember.

## 4 Births Reported As '38 Becomes '39

The county recorder's office records four births over the year-end, two of the little ones arriving in 1938 and two in 1939.

Frederick Leslie Cramer was born at Placerville Sanatorium on December 28 to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert L. Cramer, of Georgetown; and the last baby to arrive in 1938, according to present records, was Donald Joseph Hanks, born on December 30 to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Donald Hanks, of Pilot Hill.

"First" babies in the county for the New Year were both born on January 3. Richard Scott Kiser was born at Placerville Sanatorium to Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Kiser, of Camino, and Eleanor Jean Knipple was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Knipple, at their home at Camino.



E. J. FITZGERALD

## E. J. FITZGERALD LOOKS BACK ON SCHOOLS 20 YEARS AGO

Retired County Superintendent Pays Respects  
To Patrons, Pupils And Press For Co-Operation;  
Commends Teachers And District Trustees

"I have no regrets," declared E. J. Fitzgerald, of Diamond Springs, who retired this week as our County Superintendent of Schools after holding the office continuously for twenty years.

"I have no regrets," he declared, "except that I would like to have seen new schoolhouses at Shingle Springs and at Missouri Flat. The Missouri Flat people are planning something. I am in hopes that something may be done in the Buckeye district."

We had spoken to Mr. Fitzgerald a year ago, shortly after he had announced that he would not again be a candidate for re-election, and suggested that during the year it would be of interest, not only to his many personal friends throughout the county, but also to all friends of the county school system, if he would prepare for us an article reviewing his twenty years of service as County Superintendent.

Unfortunately he did not choose to write the article, but has supplied us with a table from which we draw comparisons between the schools of "then" and "now" and charged us with the responsibility of compiling therefrom the article.

Elementary school districts of the county in 1918 numbered fifty-six of which fifty-one were active. (Continued on Page 4)

## Births Total 186, Deaths In Year Decline

In the vital statistics for the calendar year, births outnumbered deaths by 58 in the county and the total of marriages dropped to 43, the lowest figure in the past three years.

This is according to a summary for the past three years, made available Thursday by Recorder Charles E. Marsh.

The total number of deaths in the county during the year was 128 being a decline from the total of 143 for the year 1937 which was also a drop from the total of 160 in 1936.

Births during the year were 186. This was a "banner year" and an increase from the total of 144 in 1937. In 1936 there were 156 births.

Marriages in the county were 57 in 1936 and 57 also in 1937, but during the year just ended the number declined to 43.

## WINTER SPORTS FANS AWAIT CARNIVAL ON JAN. 7

Members of the Placerville Ski Club and other winter sports fans of the county will join with enthusiasts from other parts of the northern section of the state at Sacramento on Saturday night for the annual Winter Sports Carnival, to be held at the Memorial Auditorium.

Placerville presents as its candidate for queen of the carnival Miss Violet Cearley, and members of the ski club are also interested in the attendance feature of the event. Prizes will be awarded in an attendance contest, with points awarded to the various clubs on the basis of member-miles represented in their attendance at the carnival.

In order to receive credit in the contest, club members must be in their winter sports togs and display the emblem of the club in play which they are enrolled. Officers of the Placerville Ski Club hope that as large a delegation as possible of members will attend.

## TWINS, BORN NOV. 29TH FALL VICTIMS OF PNEUMONIA

The twin daughters born November 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shirar, who reside on Coloma road, are dead—victims of pneumonia.

Janet Lea passed away on Sunday and the little body was laid at rest on Monday afternoon.

Joyce Lee died on Wednesday afternoon and on Thursday at 4 o'clock the Rev. H. F. Bottorff will officiate at last rites following which the body will be interred at Midtown cemetery in a grave beside that of her sister.

The parents, two sisters and a brother survive.

## Colored Comedy Casabans Coming On Wednesday

Sports followers who recall the comedy softball game provided during the past summer by a traveling team of colored comedians, who played at M. P. Bennett, Jr. Memorial Park, may be interested in the announcement that the high school has scheduled a basketball game with the Broadway Clowns.

The game will be played Wednesday night, January 11th, at the Cougar "coop."

The Clowns are a traveling hoop team on the order of the softball aggregation, according to Coach L. A. Brown.



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## Crossword Puzzle

By LARS MORRIS

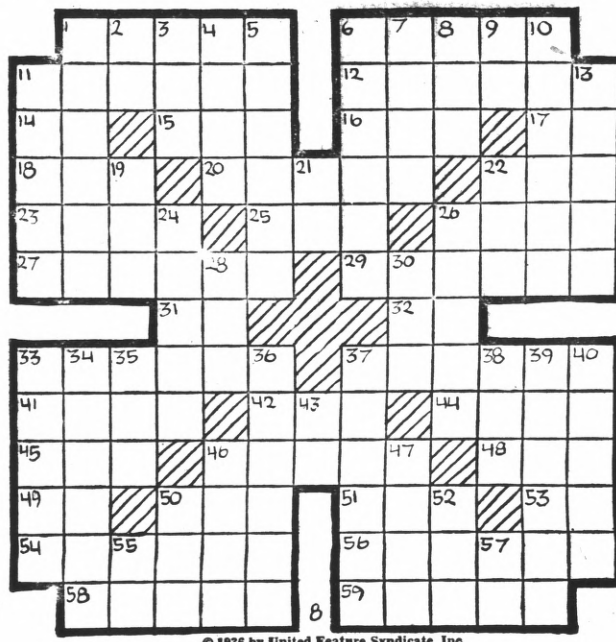
ACROSS

- Form
- Frog's sound
- Protection
- Plz
- You and I
- Turf
- Devoiced
- O sharp in S
- John
- Seed container
- Lasos
- Let it stand
- Optic
- Walking stick
- Shallow waters
- Chinese measure
- Siberian river
- Triangular end-wall
- Shore birds
- Head command
- Summit
- Roman emperor
- Electrified particle
- Substance promoting friction
- Prefix three
- Continent (abbr.)
- Shake up
- Light cart
- Man's nickname

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

DOWN

- Exclamation
- Roman money
- Walk wearily
- Backwaters
- Center of volcano
- Souls fix
- Unclose
- Hawaiian lava
- Japanese garment
- Central European
- Is borne
- Prefix new
- Railway (abbr.)
- Strike lightly
- Score
- Small house
- Be situated
- Split molecule
- Leaving
- On a ship
- Man's nickname
- Shops
- Faucet
- Fondle
- Wandering
- Orbits
- Bone
- Pile
- Riviera city
- Fruit preserves
- Carrier of heredity
- Babylonian deity
- George Russell



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Rudy Vallee's on KPO at 5 o'clock.

Major Bowes on KSFO and Good News on KPO at 6 o'clock compete for your ear while seven o'clock brings the workshop to KSFO. At the same hour Mr. Crosby presides in the music hall.

Amos and Andy at 8 on KPO are followed by the symphony hour, and Kate Smith, 8:30 on KSFO and Ray Noble, KGO same time are other high spots.

Nine o'clock and all's well.

Republican Class Ads Always Pay.

## Coffee Now Rationed To Nazi Housewives

BERLIN, JAN. 4 (UP) Coffee was added today to the food stuffs which are rationed to the public. Many big coffee shops in Berlin sell only one-eighth of a pound to each customer.

Walter I. Bidstrup was in town Thursday from the Logtown section.

## LEGAL NOTICE

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of El Dorado Limestone Company will be held on Tuesday, January 17, 1939, at the main office of the company located on its property near the town of Shingle Springs in El Dorado County, Calif., at 2:00 o'clock P. M.

## Stewart Says—

Next Congress' Big Task Will Be The WPA Decision

By CHARLES P. STEWART  
Central Press Columnist

WASHINGTON, D. C.—One of the big problems Congress will have to tackle at its coming session is the matter of the Works Progress Administration's cost. Times being somewhat better than they were, there already are signs of a strong demand for a cut in the WPA's appropriation. Administration's cost. Times being somewhat better than they were, there already are signs of a strong demand for a cut in the WPA's appropriation.

Hopkins

HAS said that he favors any reasonable investigation calculated to keep politics out of it. And some few New Dealers themselves have expressed sympathy with the proposed economy program—if possible yet.

If Congress were left to do its own deciding, I surmise that a bit of retrenchment might be expected. From talks I've had with legislators now here, in advance of the 1939 session's opening, I gather that most of them think the public (outside the ranks of WPA workers) predominantly desires it. And Congressmen usually act as public opinion appears to them to dictate.

But Not Always

They're terribly afraid of a large, solid group of electors. Miscellaneous public opinion may be somewhat more one way or the other, but that solid group is liable to constitute a balance of power.

Now, the WPA workers ARE such a group. They naturally don't want their financial allowance trimmed. And there are a lot of them. About 3,200,000 on the rolls. Not all of them are unemployed as members of the Workers' Alliance of America. The Alliance is only about 400,000 strong. Nevertheless they all will cast their ballots in support of the Alliance's policy—which is, not a smaller WPA appropriation, but a bigger one.

The average congressman is as afraid of antagonizing his share of 3,200,000 constituents. Maybe the WPA needs more money. Maybe it could get along on less. Maybe the present figure is about right.

I'm neutral, but I argue that the WPA workers are not the folk to settle the question. Of course they'd like higher pay. I wonder if it were a WPA worker. But surely the taxpayers who foot the bill are entitled to a voice.

In effect, these WPA-ers are the country's employees. They're comparable, for the time being, to our civil service outfit.

Well, in Britain the lifetime civil service man or woman isn't entitled to vote. The theory is that he or she takes a job under the government, knows what he or she is contracting to work for, has a permanent position, with a pension at the end of it, is somewhat a privileged worker and ought not to be fixed to boss the society he or she is working for.

The rule doesn't apply to periodically elected or temporarily appointed officials—only to the career folk.

I lived in England for a term of years and I thought then that it was an undemocratic system. Today I'm not so sure of it. The rest of us vote the money. Why should they tell us how much to vote to them?

Not Like Paupers

It isn't like telling a pauper that he can't vote, as is the law in one or two of our states.

A pauper is a pauper because he can't help himself—perhaps because he has suffered rank injustice. An English career civil servant trades his vote for obvious advantages.

Oh, yes, I know. Such remarks will enrage all our civil service workers, and all WPA-ers and Democrats generally. All the same, I don't like to see the WPA regulate our national expenditures in its own interest.

## APPENDICITIS

Deaths from appendicitis in the United States have increased 32 per cent since 1900, according to U. S. Census Bureau reports.

Don Goodrich was a caller Wednesday at Sacramento.

## Constipated?

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## LOTUS

Jay Lawyer and wife came down from Nevada City New Year's Day and visited for a short time with his son, Archie, and wife after which they went up to Kelsey to attend a birthday dinner given by Miss Maggie Kelly on honor of her brother, Will Kelly, who reached the ripe old age of three score and ten on January 1, 1939. After dinner was over, the Lawyers returned to Lotus and spent the night with their son, continuing to their home on Monday.

Joe Cola and wife and son were in our town from Smith Flat on New Year's Day, sparking a new car which Santa Claus gave them for Christmas.

Among those from here who went up to Georgetown New Year's eve to take in the whist party were George Luneman, Charlie Rice and wife, Harry Reaside and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bacchi, Archie Lawyer and wife, Mrs. Florence Hines, Mrs. Lottie Galleher and Mrs. May Howland. Among the crowd four of them returned with prizes. After the card party, all drove to Cool and took in the dance for the rest of the evening, all enjoying a well-spent evening.

Raymond Lawyer came down from Smith Flat Sunday long enough to say Happy New Year to his father and mother and hurried back to spend the day with his best girl at the flat.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reaside, Miss Helen Reaside and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bacchi enjoyed a New Year's supper at the home of Mrs. Lottie Galleher.

Will Rossi was in our town on Friday last delivering a large truck load of goats to Dudley Freeland, who intends to go into the goat business. Dud had all ready forty goats which he purchased from Mr. Frank Kipp in the Rescue district about a year ago and with those Rossi delivered will make him a very good bunch of animals to start with.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Whitney and son, former residents of our county but now residents of Long Beach, came up to spend the weekend with Oscar Fleming and wife and called on a number of their old friends in this county.

Mr. Frank Lawyer and daughter and the former's grandchildren came over from Placerville New

Year's Day and visited for a time at the home of Archie Lawyer and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tidd, returning home toward evening.

Alex Leonardi and Joe Hansen have recently finished their new barn. The building replaces the one destroyed by fire last September.

The new structure is nearly as large as the one that burned down, being only five feet shorter. It has a galvanized iron roof.

Gerald Rasmussen and wife and their baby daughter, Nancy Lynn, with Gerald's Mother, Mrs. Mary Rasmussen, drove over from their Placerville homes Sunday afternoon to say Happy New Year to Gerald's Uncle Charlie.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reaside returned home Saturday evening after spending Christmas in the bay city. Miss Helen remained in the city.

Eddie Fenske and wife, of Alameda, Jack Estes, Bill Burns, Art Werner and Charles Covall, city attorney of Richmond, came up from Richmond and Alameda Friday evening and spent the weekend visiting with Otto Fenske and wife.

They enjoyed a New Year's dinner prepared by Mrs. Kenske and all returned to their homes Monday evening well enjoying their visit to the Fenske home.

The annual Gold Discovery '49er dance in Coloma is scheduled definitely for Saturday night, January 21st. It is reported that it will be a costume dance with cash awards for the best '49er costumes. Save the date for a good time at Coloma.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Baumgartner have rented the cottage formerly occupied by Dudley Stevenson and wife. The Baumgartners formerly lived in the Pollock Pines section, above Placerville.

Uncle Will Galleher is still in Berkeley visiting his sons. He failed to show up in Lotus on New Year's to celebrate his seventy-first birthday.

SCARLET FEVER DECLINES  
Deaths from scarlet fever in the United States have decreased 81 per cent since 1900, according to U. S. Census Bureau reports.

## YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By BILL BRAUCHER

Comes news of a shortage of hens in Germany. That means a shortage of eggs, of course. But there are still plenty of hams around.

The trouble in Germany seems to be that all the eggs are wearing uniforms.

Herr Hitler should appoint a minister to egg on the hens. But maybe some of them are little red hens and won't lay for the Reich.

When a country devotes itself to preparation for war, it is placing all its eggs in one basket.

How about sending Germany that egg laid by the envoy who tried to present the state department with a protest against Secretary Ickes' criticism.

Der Fuehrer might bring the supply of eggs up to meet the demand by importing some of the late, lamented Broadway shows.

The Reich Association of Breeders has announced that every hen must lay 140 eggs a year, instead of the 90 which has been their custom. Maybe the hens have been on a stand-up strike.

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## Naming A Suspect

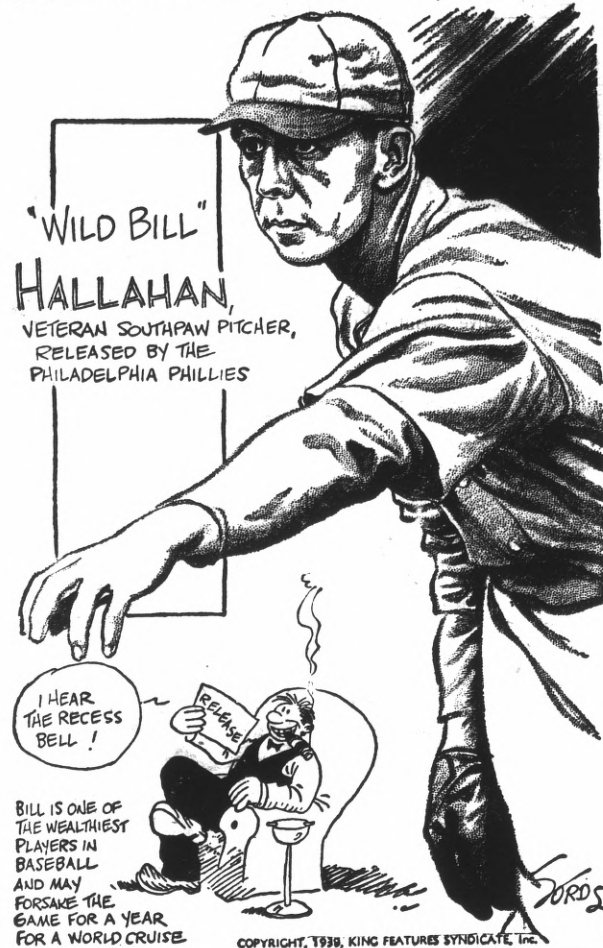


## By Harry F. O'Neill





## SITTING PRETTY - By Jack Sords



## Sports Parade

By HENRY McLEMORE

LOS ANGELES, (UP) — While he doubts his availability, Mr. Charles Howard, owner of Seabiscuit, is thinking of offering Paul Whitman a job as assistant trainer of his American handicap champion.

It was Band Leader Whiteman, you remember, who reduced from Graf Zeppelin to blimp size in the short space of a year. So big on January 1 of one year ago that Captain Hugo Eckner was eyeing him with a view of flying passengers on him to South America, Whiteman hit on a diet that almost put him in the stream-lined class.

Seabiscuit needs that diet. Since he raced and beat War Admiral at Pimlico early in November, Seabiscuit has put on fifty pounds and shows no signs of quitting. A few more weeks and he will have to have gussets put in his harness. Already he is showing signs of a double chin, which, come to think of it, might not be a bad addition for a horse in a photo finish. The Biscuit was beaten by less than the width of a double chin in two "hundred grand" races, once by Rosemont and once by Stagehand.

In explaining Seabiscuit's obesity at Santa Anita, Howard said it was due entirely to eating. Seabiscuit, it seems, is the Diamond Jim Brady of horseflesh. Let his trainer turn his head, and the Biscuit has taken a light snack. Leave him alone for ten minutes and he will go through a ten-course dinner. He plays no favorite in horse food, but will eat anything. Next to eating, Seabiscuit likes sleeping.

It is his ability to sleep under any and all conditions that makes him such a super traveller, and enables him to ship from track to track for his many engagements. Five minutes after he is put on a train the Biscuit rolls quietly over on his side and starts to nap.

Howard said that Seabiscuit, who arrived here a few days ago from South Carolina, was in pretty good shape save for his extra weight and a slight injury to his left foreleg. He suffered a minor bruise when he banged himself in his Carolina stable, but it is nothing to worry about.

I asked Seabiscuit's owner how much longer he planned to race the little fellow.

"That all depends on how he does in the big handicap," Howard answered. "If he should win it, I think we would retire him. That would make him far and away the biggest money winner of all time, and there wouldn't be much left for him to win. He proved he was the cham-

Champion by his convincing win over War Admiral."

Howard isn't at all pleased over the weight of 134 pounds assigned the Biscuit by the Santa Anita handicapper. He considers it unfair, and that 130 pounds would have been a much more sensible impost.

"Why should my horse be penalized because he is the best in the country?" Howard asked. "Weighting him down to where he can scarcely beat inferior horses, is just the same as giving some duffer golfer 200 strokes in the national championship and enabling him to beat Sammy Snead or Ralph Guldahl. Any horse that Seabiscuit has to give more than 30 pounds to doesn't belong in the handicap. He is just out there cluttering up the track for horses that really can run."

Howard would like to race Seabiscuit once before the handicap, but isn't sure that he will. He says that he asked the Santa Anita officials to arrange an allowance race that the Biscuit could use as a "tightener," but that his request was refused.

"I was told," Howard said, "that such a thing was impossible; that there wouldn't be more than three or four horses entered against Seabiscuit, and there would be no betting on the race. That seems a bit greedy to me, refusing to make up such a race just because it wouldn't bring out as much cash as a race between a bunch of cheap horses."

## How Do You Measure Riches?

As We Enter New Year Let Us Check Up on Selves, Dr. Myers Urges Readers

By GARRY C. MYERS, Ph.D.

WE MAY not have all the money we should like to have. We may not enjoy the conveniences we might wish. Nevertheless, our riches don't consist of the abundance of things we possess. Our health, our habits, our emotions that are harnessed, our family, our children and other loved ones, and our friends make up the big part of our wealth.

Now, as we enter the New Year, let us take stock of ourselves. Let us ask ourselves such questions as those that follow:

Am I physically fit? Am I as nearly fit as I can make myself? Am I doing all I can to develop and keep my health? Do I get enough sleep? Do I relax when I have the opportunity? Do I have poise? How well do I master my emotions? Can I keep calm at trying times? Am I self-controlled and patient? Do I allow myself to be disturbed by normal noises of the baby and growing child? Do I talk loud? Is my voice high and squeaky? When others in the family become vexed and excited and speak in loud, shrill tones, am I gentle and serene? Is my voice soft and quiet then?



NEW ROMANTIC DUO—Olivia de Havilland and Dick Powell are teamed for the first time in the interests of love and laughs—in "Hard to Get," the comedy opening today at the Empire Theatre.

## POWELL, DE HAVILLAND STAR IN NEW SHOW AT EMPIRE

Co-starring a new team of romantic funmakers—Dick Powell and Olivia de Havilland—Warner Bros. comedy will have its local premiere Thursday at the Empire Theatre. It is called "Hard to Get," and has been described by preview critics as about the tops of the 1939 movie-crop as a laugh-getter.

It may seem odd that the producing studio hasn't teamed up Dick and Olivia before. Each has had a number of successes in the lighter vein. Powell's most recent, for example, "Cowboy from Brooklyn," and Miss de Havilland's preceding picture, "Four's a Crowd." But now that the studio finally has teamed them, it seems to have something to have plenty, indeed.

Although Dick is the leading man, "Hard to Get" isn't a musical picture. In fact, it has only two songs in it: "You Must Have Been a Beautiful Baby" and "There's a Sunny Side to Every Situation." Powell sings them, of course. They're by the popular and capable composing team of Harry Warren and Johnnie Mercer.

## Summit Notes

Quite a number of the residents of this district attended the Benefit dance given at the Aukum hall Saturday night.

The Summit Dramatic Club held its regular monthly meeting on Monday night, January 2. Rehearsal was finished on the skit to be given Thursday night, January 5, at the Farm Bureau meeting. It is an amusing little skit entitled, "Healthy, the Milk Cow." We invite everyone to come and join in the fun.

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## TROJAN ROSE BOWL HERO IS RECOMMENDED FOR FOOTBALL LETTER

LOS ANGELES, (UP)—Award of a football letter to Doyle Nave, hero of the Rose Bowl game, was recommended today by Coach Howard Jones.

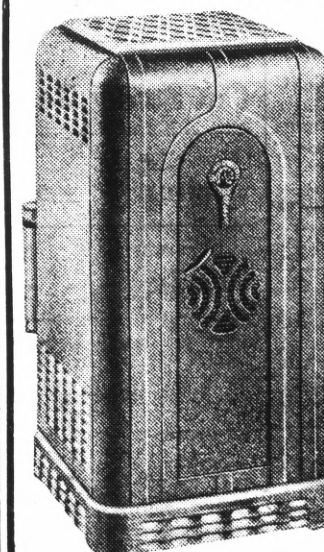
The substitute quarterback warmed the University of Southern California's bench most of the season hence has only one-third of the 165 minutes of playing time required for a letter.

His teammates concurred that Nave deserved the emblem for the four straight passes he shot to Al Krueger for the 7-3 victory over Duke in the dying seconds of the New Year's game.

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## GARDEN VALLEY

Mrs. A. Seisenop has returned from Placerville where she has been taking care of her daughter, Mrs. Rene Dunn who has been quite ill at her home. At this writing Mrs. Dunn is reported improving rapidly.

The Home Economics Committee of Marshall Grange will meet at the home of Mrs. Carrie Poole Thursday, January 5th. Their plans are to make and fill a chest with linens for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Willis returned to Sacramento Wednesday after spending the Xmas holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davey were in Placerville Saturday on business.

Howard Wainscott is spending his Xmas vacation in Sacramento with his two brothers. He will be back on January 9th and ready for school which starts on that day.

Don't forget the regular whist party at Garden Valley Hall Friday, January 6th. This is the first of the series.

Oscar Jacobsen has returned from Sacramento where he spent a two-week vacation combining business pleasure.

Mrs. Guy Davenport and son, Guy, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Cushman, Jr., were in Placerville on Monday. Ira Cushman, Jr., will drive the high school bus for the remainder of this term.

## STATE RELIEF CLIENTS AWAIT ACTION BY LEGISLATURE

SACRAMENTO, (UP) — Relief checks for 70,000 California families will be interrupted next week unless a \$19,600,000 deficiency relief bill—being rushed to completion today—is not introduced, passed by the legislature and signed by Gov. Culbert L. Olson by tomorrow.

Assemblyman Elmer E. Lore, D., of North Hollywood, has charge of the proposed legislation under orders from Olson and H. Dewey Anderson, state relief administrator. With Saturday a legislative holiday, Anderson stressed that the emergency action must be completed tomorrow and replenish relief funds which will be exhausted by Jan. 8.

The appropriation, when approved, is expected to carry the relief through the fiscal year ending June 30.

## "National Championship" Grid Game Banned

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., (UP)—Officials of both schools today rejected proposals to match the University of Tennessee and Texas Christian in a game to be played this month.

## SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



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## Fitzgerald Looks Back 20 Years

(Continued from Page 1)

five and five suspended. These had a total enrollment of 1,043 with 847 in average daily attendance and in that year there were seventy-four graduates from the eighth grade. There were 56 teachers. Expenses of elementary school operation aggregated \$38,500 for the year.

"Placerville ran school for eight months and had eight teachers and a principal. The teachers were paid \$70 per month and the principal \$111 per month," Mr. Fitzgerald notes.

"Camino had two teachers and Georgetown had two teachers. The others were one-teacher schools."

"The high school had six teachers and a principal. The principal was paid an annual salary of \$1,520. Men teachers received \$1,200 and women teachers \$950. Enrollment was one hundred thirty with 108 in average daily attendance and the annual cost of high school maintenance was \$13,500."

The superintendent's report issued in July of 1938 shows that there were at that time seventy-six teachers in the elementary schools of the county drawing a minimum salary of \$1,320. There were 52 school districts with an enrollment of one thousand six hundred seventy-seven and 1407 in average daily attendance. Eighth grade graduates numbered 196 and the expenses of operation, "capital outlay not included," amounted to \$132,590.

"The high school now has one principal, twenty-one teachers and one nurse. Enrollment is 493 (July 1938 report) and average daily attendance of 428. The expenses of maintenance, capital outlay not included, \$71,610.

"These figures," the outgoing superintendent suggests, "show the extent of growth of schools in the last twenty years."

"During that time, school supervisors and school nurses have been added to the system. School transportation has been instituted during

## 2 COUNTY GIRLS PASS IN EXAMINATION FOR TEACHERS

Out of the four applicants who took the year-end county teachers examinations, two received passing grades and have been granted certificates, it was announced during the week.

The two, both graduates of the county high school, are Dorothy Oates and Gloria Bidstrup.

It is understood both the young women took preparatory work at a Berkeley training school for teachers, and Miss Oates is reported as a present student at Sacramento Junior College.

We congratulate both of them on their success.

this period, and that in itself is a considerable undertaking.

"Among excellent school buildings that have been added to the system are the high school, Diamond Springs, Camino, Smith Flat, Pollock Pines, Fairplay and Coloma buildings and the addition to the Placerville grammar school building. Others are in the course of construction with more to follow.

"The schools have enjoyed an excellent growth and expansion, and I am happy to say that they have also experienced an era of good feeling.

"We have an excellent corps of teachers in the county who are working in the best interests of the pupils and the community. Our trustees form a group of fine men and women who are doing their best to build up the schools in their respective communities.

"I wish also to pay my respects to patrons of schools, to the pupils and to the press for the wonderful co-operation that they have given to the superintendent's office during this period of my incumbency.

"At the present time, county school affairs are in fine condition with every prospect of a continuance of growth and school development. Our pupils are making good in higher institutions of learning and a majority of them on graduating are successful in their chosen fields of labor."

## Raley's Sales Staff Cited

Placerville Store Among Winners In Sales Contest Sponsored By Can Concern

Ed Bateman, manager of Raley's Drive-In Market, received notification this week that the store and its employees have been declared one of the winners in the nationwide \$100,000 "Keglined Treasure Chest" contest conducted during the year 1938, by the American Can Company, manufacturers of "Keglined" cans for merchandising beer.

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## \$875,000,000 FOR WPA UNTIL JUNE 3 IS ASKED

WASHINGTON, (AP) — President Roosevelt today asked congress for an immediate \$875,000,000 appropriation to provide WPA jobs for between 3,000,000 and 3,700,000 persons until June 30, the end of the 1939 fiscal year.

He asked for these funds in a special relief message, while in his regular budget message, also submitted today, he projected a relief and recovery program of \$2,266,165,000 for the new fiscal year beginning in July.

Taking cognizance of growing congressional criticism of administration of the Works Progress Administration, he called for statutory restrictions against improper political practices in relief. But he pleaded against return of relief administration to local authorities and against imposition of restriction that might infringe upon political rights of relief recipients.

## Night Club Death Probe Jails Stepson

HOLLYWOOD, (AP)—Police jailed on suspicion of murder today the stepson of James Peters, 58, Portland, Ore., financier, who was fatally injured while taking his family on a round of Hollywood night clubs.

George Phillips, 38, the stepson, told a story that conflicted with versions told by other witnesses, detectives asserted.

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## Scouting

## TROOP 57

Our troop has graciously consented to allow the Scouters to meet in the hall on our meeting night, so our next meeting will be on Wednesday night, instead.

This meeting will be a "corker," too, for the "Green Bar" is going to have a meeting in order to plan the next meeting and also to rearrange our patrol leadership. We're aware that something is wrong with our patrols, for they haven't won enough blue ribbons to keep even a small moth alive. —Bill Dillinger, reporter.

## KEMPER JACKSON CHOSEN NEW PRESIDENT OF 20-30

Kemper Jackson was elected president of Placerville 20-30 Club at the regular election held recently. Jackson succeeds Edward Sayers. Installation will be held Monday night at a stag party, according to members.

Other officers elected are Ted Atwood, vice-president; and Bob Bergantz, sergeant-at-arms.

Sayers automatically becomes a member of the board of directors to which George Duffy and Don Westerman were elected.

## Key Figures Missing In Pardon Scandal Probe

SAN FRANCISCO, (AP)—Two key figures in a state pardon scandal were missing today as authorities promised a "thorough investigation" of every ramification of the case.

Attorney General Earl Warren asked police to aid in a search for Clarence Bent, San Francisco tavern keeper, and Clarence A. Leddy, paroled Santa Clara county slayer.

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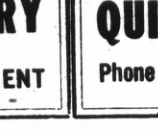
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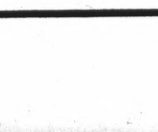
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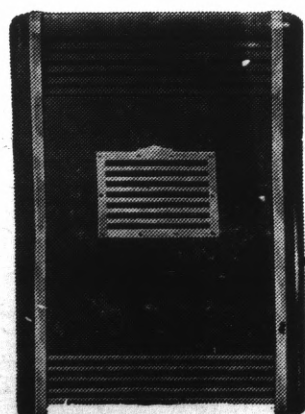


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